

1 **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

2 Serial No.09/153,432
 3 Filing Date9/14/98
 4 InventorshipCamara et al.
 Applicant Microsoft Corporation
 Attorney's Docket No. MS1-262US
 Title:.....Computer-Implemented Image Acquisition System

5 **PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

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 20 Assignee:

21 Microsoft Corporation
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1 **AGREEMENT**

2 WHEREAS, ASSIGNOR(S) are inventor(s) of an invention entitled
3 "Computer-Implemented Image Acquisition System ," as described and claimed in
4 the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent
5 referenced above;

6 WHEREAS, Microsoft Corporation (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE),
7 a corporation of the State of Washington having a place of business at One
8 Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052, is desirous of acquiring the entire right,
9 title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be
10 granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

11 NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the
12 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby sell, assign and
13 transfer unto ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said
14 invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for
15 said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in
16 any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and
17 continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the
18 name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States
19 application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international
20 convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on
21 said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and
22 assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and
23 entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR(S) had this
24 assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR(S) hereby authorize and
25 request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on

1 said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR(S) agree to execute all instruments and
2 documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United
3 States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said
4 letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters
5 patent therefor.

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10/30/98
Date

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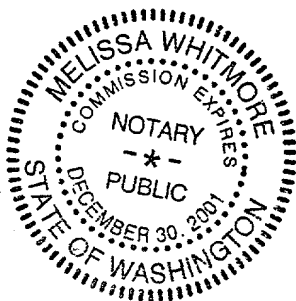
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County of King) ss.

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence Franc J. Camara is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated 10/30/98

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My appointment expires 12/30/01



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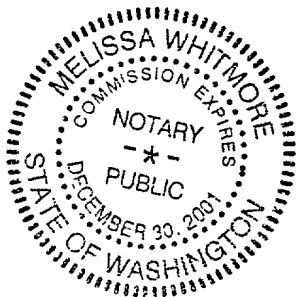
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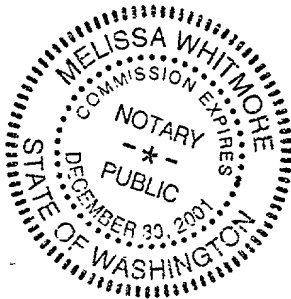
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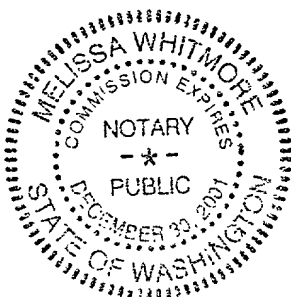
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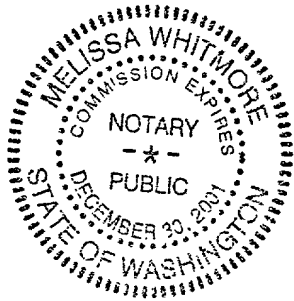
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6 **DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

7 As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

8 My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to
 9 my name.

10 I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed
 11 below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the
 12 subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention
 13 entitled "Computer-Implemented Image Acquisition System" referenced above.

14 I have reviewed and understand the content of the above-identified
 15 specification, including the claims.

16 I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the
 17 examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal
 18 Regulations, § 1.56(a).

19 **PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATIONS:** no applications for foreign patents or
 20 inventor's certificates have been filed prior to the date of execution of this
 21 declaration.

22 **Power of Attorney**

23 I appoint the following attorneys to prosecute this application and transact all
 24 future business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected with this application:
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7 All statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all
8 statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that
9 these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the
10 like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of
11 Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statement may
12 jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued therefrom.

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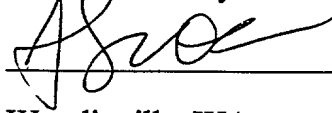
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